TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

BUSINESS.

Yesterday's bank clearings were \$10.497,636; balances \$1,655,254, Local discount rates were firm, between 5 and 6 per cent. Domestic exchange was quoted as follows: New York 49c discount bid, 25c discount asked; Chica go, 49e discount bid, 25e discount asked; Cincinnati, Louisville and New Orleans, 25c discount bid, me discount asked.

Wheat closed lower at 65% 666c bid Dec.; 676572c No. 2 red. Corn closed lower at 281sc Dec.; 575c No. 2 mixed. Oats closed at 26% bld; 20c No. 2 Northern.

The local market for spot cotton was quiet and unchanged.

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN. The M. A. Seed Dry-Plate Company has been absorbed by the Eastman Kedak Com-

pany, known as the Kodak Trust. Doctor Chapman of the Board of Health says he will sign to more youchers for Ed Butler's Garbage Reduction Company until the collectors do their duty, Plans are made for the President's visit

A handcuffed man is mistaken for an escaped prisoner and arrested. He had put the bracelets on for a joke.

R. C. Barrett, Beer Inspector, has part of a tree on which Jesse James is believed to have carved the name, "J. James, 1867." The bodies of George Ehrhardt and Charles Eaton, drowned in the river Monday, were recovered,

GENERAL DOMESTIC.

A Michigan veterinary surgeon is arrested.

The Decatur and Lincoln, III., Presbyterhave each adopted resolutions requesting a reunion with the Presbyterian Church from which it branched off in 1810. The Lincoln body went still further, and adopted a menorial to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, to be held at Nashville. Tenn., requesting a reunion, inasmuch as all creed differences had been removed.

Governor Stone of Pennsylvania asserts that he will smash the coal ring, and de-clares further that if a satisfactory and ef-ficient bill to settle labor difficulties is presented he will have the Legislature pass

The Wisconsin Democratic Convention adjourns, having ignored a motion to indorse the party's national platform.

Mrs. Dake of Denver hires a special train in Arizona when she hears that her hus-band is near death and makes a record-breaking run through the mountains, finding her hearders. her husband still alive and conscious at the Colorado capital,

The coal strikers in the Norfolk and Western field of West Virginia agree to return to work next Monday, the operators promising to give them their oid places. President Roosevelt is entirely recovered from the shock of the accident near Pitts-

field, Mass, and will start on his short tour in the South to-day. Buying orders sustained the cotton market for some time yesterday, but selling at the advance soon caused weakness, and the close was considerably lower than the high price of the day before caused by the Government's gloomy report.

W. J. Bryan characterizes the President's Providence speech as a "servile appeal for lawless wealth," and declares that it proves he has come to an agreement with the trusts.

Senator Sullivan of New York declares that Bird S. Coler will be nominated by the Democrats for Governor of New York, and will be elected by an old-time Democratic

More than 1,200 patents for using oil as fuel have been issued, and the applications continue to pour in to the number of twenty-five each week.

A negro preacher caused the Mayor of New York City to blush when he predicted that Seth Low would one day be President of the United States.

A Jefferson County, Missouri, farmer is gored to death by an angry bull. -Secretary Shaw is pleased by the responses received from national banks to his suggestion that they issue \$15,000,000 in bank

The Census Bureau issues a report showing that the average age of the popu of the United States is steadily increasing. Mrs. J. E. Johnson, a St. Louis bride, was shot through the hand by a stranger who entered her bedroom at Navasota-Her husband shot and seriously wounded the man, who opened fire on both of them apparently without provocation.

Captain Allison H. Foster, a lifelong Republican of Mississippi, has declined to serve as the Republican member of the Board of Election Commissioners, declaring that he is not a follower of Roosevelt.

The citizens of Mississippi are complaining because of the small national appropriations for their State, while other States receive many times as much. They decare their Communications their Congressmen are timid about advancing their claims.

FOREIGN.

Evelyn B. Baldwin tells the Associated Press of what he considers the failure of the America's expedition to reach the North

In a speech at Posen, in Prussian Poland. Emperor William urges the people to be loyal Prussians, which, he declares, they can be without sacrificing their religious beliefs or their racial traditions.

The Trades Union Congress at London rects a resolution favoring compulsory ar-

SPORTING

"Uncle Nick" Young, for years the president of the National League, collapsed at his desk and was taken home seriously ill. It is believed his baseball career is drawing

The Browns won the final game from Washington by a score of 9 to 2. At Philadelphia the Cardinals lost by a Score of 12 to 6.

Winners at Delmar Park yesterday were Russian, Burnett's Walkaway, Icicle, Ethylene, Barklyite and Orris. J. Pierpont Morgan and other capitalists

sre reported to have formed a syndicate to build a new cup defender. A contract for a new challenger has been awarded, but the report that the boat is already under construction is positively de-

John A. Drake took \$156,000 out of the ring at Sheepshead Bay yesterday on four races,

Marine Intelligence.

New York, Sept. 4 .- Arrived: Germanic, Liverpool. Plymouth, Sept. 4.-Arrived: Columbia,

from New York.

New York, Sept. 4.—Salled: La Savole, Havre; Friedrich der Grosse, Bremen. St. Micheals, Sept. 3.—Passed: Aller, Genoa and Naples, via Gibraltar for New York , Sept. 4.-Arrived: Lahn, New York via Naples. Queenstown, Sept. 4.-Sailed: Teutonic.

from Liverpool, New York; Haverford, (from Liverpool), Philadelphia. Yokahoma, Sept. 3.-Sailed: Indrapura, m Hong-Kong, Portland, Ore. Taku, Aug. 21 .- Arrived: Kirkdale, Van couver, British Columbia.

New York, Sept. 4.-Arrived; Steamer Menominee, London. Liverpool, Sept. 4.-Arrived: Steamer New

England, Boston. Rotterdam, Sept. 4.-Sailed: Steamer Ryndam, New York, via Boulogne Sur Mer.

Nagusaki, Sept. 4.-Arrived: Steamer Riojun Maru, via Hong-Kong and Shanghai, for Vancouver, British Columbia, and Scattle, via Moff, Kobe and Yokohama,

Scrofula

It may develop so slowly as to cause little if any disturbance during the whole period of childhood. It may then produce irregularity of the

stomach and bowels, dyspepsia, catarra, and marked tendency to consumption before manifesting itself in much cutaneous otion or glandular swelling.

HARD FOUGHT LEGAL BATTLE ANTICIPATED.

Warring Republican Factions Will Appear Before Judge Bland To-Day.

ABLE ATTORNEYS EMPLOYED.

Lee Meriwether Says He Will File No Ticket Until After the Present Row Is Settled.

At 19 o'clock this morning attorneys for the two factions in the local Republican party will appear before Judge Bland of the Court of Appeals, who will pass upon the record of the Republican State Committee in ousting sixteen members of the City

James L. Minnis and Charles Claffin Allen on a charge of sending a poisoned headache will represent the State Committee and powder to his nearest neighbor. John A. Gilliam and Thomas T. Fauntlerov John A. Gilliam and Thomas T. Fauntlerov the petitioning committeemen. It is possies of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church | ble other lawyers will appear to assist

It is said the State Committee will ask or a dismissal on the grounds that it had jurisdiction in the premises, being the governing power of the party, and that as the Court of Appeals adjourned August 6 to meet in course no action can be taken in chambers. That the legal battle will be hard-fought cannot be doubted by those familiar with the bitterness which has been engendered by the participants.

to consider his fusion claims. When some regarding the story, Mr. Meriwether said that nothing of the sort would be done until after the Republican fight had been settled. "Under the authority given to us by the

Public Ownership Convention," he said, "we have no power to file a straight ticket. The received this forenoon, announced the wellonvention bound us to a fusion on condition that the Republicans would accept our andidates."

Meanwhile Mr. Meriwether is plaintiff in

Meanwhile Mr. Meriwether is plaintiff in a suit for criminal libel against Professor T. G. Scott, who accused him of forging names to a paper which was filed with the Board of Election Commissioners. The case will be called to-day. Yesterday Professor Scott said that he would demand a jury trial and endeavor to have a court decision reached before the fall election. He is afraid Meriwether will try to delay action until after November 4.

Fred H. Kreisman of the Twenty-seventh Ward received a notice yesterday informing

Fred H. Kreisman of the Twenty-seventh Ward received a notice yesterday informing him of last night's meeting of the reorganized Republican City Committee. Though Mr. Kreisman was originally opposed to a direct primary, he has aligned himself with the sixteen, and, together with George P. Weinbrenner, expects to rise or fall with the Kerens "bunch."

His latter to William H. Blake, chairman

P. Weinhrenner, expects to rise or fall with the Kerens "bunch."

His letter to William H. Blake, chairman of the new committee, is as follows:

St. Louis, Sept. 4, 1921—W. H. Blake, Esq., 315
Missouri Trust Railding, City: Dear Sir-I am in receipt of a communication dated the 3d linst, over your signature and that of Wm. H. Hahn, as chairman and secretary, respectively, purporring to be a call for a meeting of the Republican City Central Committee, to be held Thursday evening. September 4, at 8 oclock, at "committee headquartera," 3ld Missouri Trust building.

Recent developments in party affairs are so well known to every Republican City Central committee, of the existence of the body, alleged to be the Republican City Central Committee, of which you are chairman and, through a technicality only, I am presumed to be a nember. Franknes, Blewsie, requires me to advise you, being guided entrely by my own opinion, that the creation of your body was irregular and lilegal and secure: through misreguresentation, unlawful delegation of authority and an usurped power, that I shall decline to participate in any of your deliberations and will attach such right of representation of the Twenty-seventh Ward as I may now have to the hedge that I consider the regular Republican City Ceneventh Ward as I may now have to the hody at I consider the regular Republican City Con-al Committee.

trail Committee.

Should my position in this matter be not sustained by such action at law as has been instituted, I trust I am candid eaough in saying that my sense of fairness and consistency in political more would not permit me to support an organization whose being. I believe, was conceived in an insincere contention for party advantage and brought to maturity by the final surremier by the opposition of all the principle, good faith and samest decire for party harmony, that such opposition had claimed as its monive.

No independent Republican, who has followed the details of the many conferences that led to the present situation, can escape the belief that the action of the Republican State Committee, through its Executive Committee, was precipitated more by duress and the threats of a certain minority than a sincere consideration of the party fairness it was presumed to seek, and for which all Republicans hoped.

No further expression is necessary for you to determine my relation to your body, but I am, with personal regard, Very sincerely yours.

F. H. KRILESMANN. ld my position in this matter be not an

SOCIALISTS FILE TICKET TO-DAY. Election Commissioners Expect Fight

From the Two City Factions. There will be a clash between the rival wings of the Socialist party in the Election Commissioners' office this morning when hey make an effort to file their respective lickets. In anticipation of a lively time secretary Kunsz of the Board of Election Secretary Ruiss of the Board of Election Commissioners has ordered the City Hall janitor to lock all the doors leading to the Election Commissioners' office except one, in order that there may be no stampede when the Socialists arrive.

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The law providing that no two tickets must file under the same caption is responsible for the fears of Secretary Kunsz. Both factions of the Socialist party insist upon using the word "Socialist" at the top of their tickets, and as this morning at 9 o'clock is the time for filing the tickets both factions are desirous of being the first to present their respective ticket. The office opens at 9 o'clock, and Secretary Kunsz says he will file the first ticket that is placed in his hands. This means that the other ticket will be rejected.

Attorney R. T. Brownrig, representing the Socialist Labor party, and Ballard Dunn, who is looking after the interests of the Socialist party, both declare that they will be on hand in the Election Commissioners' office this morning at 9 o'clock, and if they keep their word a lively time will surely ensue when they try to have their respective tickets accepted.

To Protest Against Meriwether

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After a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Allied Third Party last night in waich it was decided to file to-day with the Election Commissioners a protest against Meriwether's using the phrase "public ownership" in his ticket, on the grounds that he is neither of the Public Ownership nor of the Allied Third Party. Chairman C. H. Osterwich declared that Lee Meriwether belongs now to the "Republican Ownership Party," but would bolt that as he had his former supporters.

"Meriwether began by bolting the Democratic party," said Henry Priesmeyer.

"August IZ. 1961, he bolted the Public Ownership party, one of the components of the Allied Third party, formed at Kansas City, June 30, of that year. He instructed his shadow, Kowalski, with his sax acherents, to bolt our City Committee. That read him out of both the Public Ownership and the Allied parties. Now, by his dicker with the old City Committee of the Republican party, he has made his first step toward the sheltering wing of the G. O. P. Meriwether belongs to no party; he is the self-appointed head of the Meriwether party, under whate-or colors he sails."

Such were the utterances of Lee Meriwether's old followers last night. Chairman Osterwich said that in South St. Louis last Saturday Meriwether could get only two men from the Eleventh Ward and one from the Tenth Ward after having distributed 10,000 placards advertising a meeting at Broadway and Noosho street. Wednesday night in North St. Louis, said Osterwich, Meriwether had only twenty-two auditors at his meeting, some of these having been brought with nim.

Until late into the night the City Committee of the Allied party worked on the protest, which will be filed this afternoon. They had not completed it when they adjourned until this morning. The protest recites Meriwether's record in detail. It abounds with "bolt, bolting, bolted" and other forms of the same verb, Kowalski also was handled incidentally with mailed gloves. The leaders of the Third party said that they n

Negro Jefferson Club Meets. It is best to be sure that you are quite free from it, and for its complete eradication you can rely on
Hood's Sarsaparilla
The lest of all medicines for all humors. TOLD FATHER OF ELOPEMENT OVER LONG-DISTANCE PHONE.



MR. WILL H. KRAPER,

gregational Church was called and a quiet

wedding ceremony followed.

Mrs. Kraper is young, pretty and cultured. Last May she was graduated from the Metropolis High School. A month later she was elected queen of the Metropolis Knights of Pythias carnival by a popular vote over ten other young ladies, who also received hearty support. She received a total of 9,4% votes, and it was at that time whispered about that Mr. Kraper was one of her most active supporters. She is the only daughter of Doctor and Mrs. J. T. Wills of this city, and has enjoyed every advantage that wealth and culture could bestow. edding ceremony followed. Mrs. Kraper is young, p

advantage that wealth and culture could bestow.

Mr. Kraper is young—being scarcely out of his teens—and has an unusually bright inture before him. He is the only son of Postmaster W. H. Kraper of this city. His tather, while being one of the most active politicians in Southern Illinois, is also a successful business man, being proprietor of the Espanoia cigar factory, a large institution here. In this business W. H. Kraper, Jr., will be associated.

Both the bride and bridesroom have been leaders in Metropolis society, and their friends, who had heped for an elaborate society wedding during the holidays, are much disappointed.

to the membership of the club. C. C. Ran-kin, president, made a speech, emphasizing the fact that the club would show some substantial results in the campaign.

Mound City, Iil., to her father in this city

ding of Mr. Will H. Kraper, Jr., and Miss

of Captain and Mrs. William Dougherty in

While intimate friends of the young peo-

ple had accused them of preparing for a

wedding some time in the near future-dur-

ing the holidays, it was said-they were not

knew, but they kept their secret, and when

prepared for this surprise. The sweethearts

Miss Willis left for a week's visit in Mound

City Tuesday morning no one gave it more

than a second thought. That same after-

noon, however, Mr. Kraper took the north-

bound Illinois Central for "a little business trip up the road," so he told his friends,

At Parker, Ill., he changed his course, and, boarding the Big Four passenger south,

There he met his sweetheart, and, accord-

ing to previous arrangement, the hosts of

Miss Willis were informed of their plans.

The Reverend Mr. Sutherland of the Con-

went direct to Mound City.

Alice Willis, both of this city, at the home

Mound City, Ill., Wednesday evening.

FERGUSON JEFFERSON CLUB. Mayor Reid Elected President of New Organization.

DEPUBLIC SPECIAL. Ferguson, Mo., Sept. 4.-The Jefferson lub of Ferguson was organized to-night. Officers were elected as follows: Fred A. Reid, president; P. W. Page, vice president Kimbrough Stone, second vice president; Thomas H. Spinkle, treasurer; George Par-sons, secretary, and P. A. Janis, sergeant-

at-arms.

The club meets Thursday, September 11, at Tiffin Hall, and will be addressed by William J. Stone.

aled for the committee's headquarters, room 315, Union Trust building, but so many were present that the quarters did not af-ford ample accommodations, and it was

Reports from various wards relating to rganization and ward work were read and nthusiastically received. Otto Stifel, chair-can of the Executive Committee, addressed the meeting, C. O. A. Brunk, William J. Broeker and F. W. Schlingman were apcommittee to secure larger quar-

ers. P. H. Clarke, George B. Weinbrenner and P. H. Clarke, George B. Weinbrenner and Fred H. Kreisman were absent. Those present were: William H. Rudolph, Jules Weber, Frederick W. Priesmeyer, William H. Judy, Joseph B. Schuler, Fred A. Hutzfeldt, Phillip Wolf, Doctor F. W. Wesseler, Harvey Fuerborn, Edward Koeln, John H. Debrodt John D. Meyer, John J. Willmore, F. W. Schlingman, William J. Broeker, Henry L. Weeke, William H. Hahn, Louis Shoeperkoetter, C. O. A. Brunk, Doctor J. B. Prichard, T. F. Berryhill, William H. Elake, Charles A. Powers and Ben J. Klene. Chairman William H. Blake presided and I William H. Hahn was secretary.

STATE COMMITTEE MEETING. Chairman Rothwell Issues Call for Tuesday in Joplin.

Chairman Wil! A. Rothwell yesterday issned a call for a meeting of the Democratic State Committee, to be held in Joplin at the Keystone Hotel next Tuesday at 19 a. m. The meeting will be informal. As that is the date of opening of the campaign, it was considered expedient to call the committee together for a general discussion of party affairs.

affairs.

A party of Democrats from Moberly was in the city yesterday. Among the number were Judge Alec Waller, who made such a creditable race for a Supreme Court nomination in Springfield, and William Kelly, one of the stalwarts of Randolph County. They spent part of the day with Chairman Rothwell, their fellow townsman. Judge Waller will return for a short visit in about a week.

Waller will return for a snow that week.
Lieutenant Governor John A. Lee and Joe Barton of Chillicothe left last evening for Ozark, where they will participate in political day at the Street Fair. Congressman Vandiver will join them and help present the Democratic side of the argument. E. E. McJimsey of Maryville and John H. (Fire Alarm) Flanigan will speak for the Republicans.

yesterday after a short stay in the city All arrangements for the opening of the campaign have been practically completed CONVENTION AT CARTHAGE. Jasper County Republicans Nominate

Ticket. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Carthage, Mo., Sept. 4.-The Jasper County Republican Convention was held in Carthare to-day and resulted in the following

thage to-day and resulted in the following nominations for county officers:
Sheriff, J. T. Owen, Jophin, Collector, S. J. Chitwood, Carthage; County Clerk, L. L. Ashcraft, Webb City; Treasurer, C. J. Smith, Carl Junction; Circuit Clerk, A. F. Carmean, Carterville; Presiding Judge, C. W. Dykeman, Joplin; Probate Judge, F. W. Davis, Sarcoxle; Prosecuting Attorney, A. H. Redding, Webb City; Recorder, T. B. Hobbs, Carthage; Coroner, Doctor A. C. Eames, Alba; East District Judge, E. E. Hubbard, Sheridan; West District Representative, W. R. Logan; Carchage; Second District Representative, W. R. Logan; Carchage; Second District Representative, C. E. Elliott, Oronogo; Third District Representative, "Cyclone" Jones, Joplin.

"Private" John Allen of Mississippi, to attend the reunion and to deliver addresses.
All are ex-Confederates, Senators Berry and Cockrell have commanded brigades during the War of the Rebellion. They will speak on September 19. BLANKET PRIMARY PROPOSED.

Texas Populists and Republicans Are Quite Active. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Houston, Tex., Sept.

Republicans are very active and to turn the three candidates loose would render the dis-It is now proposed to hold a blanket pri-mary on the three men, but the Poindexter men object to this. It was agreed that there should be no dark horse.

Hebrew Jefferson Club Organizes. Tiffin Hall, and will be addressed by William J. Stone.

NEW COMMITTEE IN SESSION.

Only Three Members Absent From Meeting of Anti-Kerens Forces.
The new Republican City Central Committee met last night in executive session at Justice Walker's court, Tenth and Olive streets. The meeting was originally scheduled for the meeting was originally scheduled for the meeting was originally scheduled for the meeting was originally scheduled.

Chairman Akins Cancels Dates. State Chairman Akins of the Republican State Chairman Akins of the Republican Committee spent but a short time at the headquarters in the Lindell Hotel yesterday. Soon after his arrival he was informed of the serious illness of his wife, who has been unwell for some time. Mr. Akins has canceled all of his engazements for the next few days and will remain at her bedside. He was to have attended the exercises in Ozark, Christian County, to-day.

Cameron Campaign Opening.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Cameron, Mo., Sept. 4.—The counties of Clinton, Daviess, Caldwell and De Kalb will participate in the Democratic campaign opening in this city Monday. Congressman James T. Lloyd will be here to speak.

Eleventh Ward Democrats to Meet. Democrats of the Eleventh Ward will meet to-morrow night at the hall, corner of South Broadway and Nagle avenue, Ca-tondelet, to select delegates to the Tenth District Congressional Convention, which meets at Clayton next Tuesday.

R. L. Floyd Nominated. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Camden, Ark., Sept. 4.—The Republican Congressional Convention for the Seventh District met here to-day and nominated R. L. Floyd of Union County. Mr. Fleyd is a young man of high standing.

SHOT AND KILLED A NEGRO. Policeman and Citizens of East St.

Louis Used Revolvers. Policeman John Fahey and several East St. Louis citizens shot and killed a negro whose name is supposed to be Ed Brown while he was trying to escape from the

officer about 10 o'clock last night. A com-plaint had been made against the negro by a little white girl. little white girl.

The child reported to a party of railroad nen at the corner of Fourth street and fond avenue that the negro had been following her for several blocks. A few econds later the men saw the negro in the irection from which the girl had come, they caught him and called for a policemen.

Fahey started with his prisoner toward Fahey started with his prisoner toward the East St. Louis prison. A crowd gathered and followed the pair. They had only gone a short distance when the negro broke away from the officer and ran. Fahey called upon him to halt, then fired several shots. At the same moment persons in the crowd also began firing and the negro fell, with six bullets in his body. He was sent to St. Mary's Hospital, unconscious, and died a few minutes after arriving there.

The young girl, meantime, had disappeared.

WARRANT IS NOT WITHDRAWN.

McRay Will Be Prosecuted on Wife Abandonment Charge. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Johnson

refused yesterday to withdraw the warrant charging John McRay with wife abandonment. Mrs. McRay requested that the war-

H. Redding, Webb City; Recorder, T. B. Hobbs, Carthage; Coroner, Doctor A. C. Eames, Alba; East District Judge, E. E. Hubbard, Sheridan; West District Judge, Allen Dixon, Joplin; First District Representative, W. R. Logan; Carthage; Second District Representative, C. E. Elliott, Orongo; Third District Representative, "Cyclone" Jones, Joplin.

Scnatore to Go to St. Joseph.

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 4.—Telegrams of acceptance were received to-day by the Committee on Arrangements for the reunion of ex-Confederates from United States Senator Berry of Arkansas, United States Senator F. M. Cockrell of Missouri and several the first that the warrant he withdrawn, saying her husband had promised to return home.

While at the Four Courts Mrs. McRay was heid. At the last moment a telegram was informed that Mrs. Vera Watkins, with whom her husband had planned to clope to Chicago, had visited her husband several time that Judge Kinley, who presides at the bearing in this city to-day, no session was heid. At the last moment a telegram was informed that Mrs. Watkins, with was informed that Mrs. Watkins, with handed to the attorneys a heid. At the last moment a telegram was informed that Mrs. Watkins had carried dedicacies to him.

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NEW BANK TO WORK IN LATIN AMERICA

Trust Companies Will Be Merged to Form Institution With Ten Million Dollars Capital,

New York, Sept. 4-Plans were made today at a meeting of the directors of the Mexican Trust Company Bank for the formation of an international banking institution; capitalized at \$10,000,000, and designed especially to operate in Latin-American

countries. The scheme involves the consolidation of the Mexican Trust Company Bank and the

Serporation Trust Company. The combination is to be known as the International Bank and Trust Company of America, The directors of both the merging erporations have signed the consolidation

greement. Brunches of the Mexican Trust Compan-Pank are established in several cities to Mexico, as follows: Guadalajara, Pachuca, Montercy, Tampico, Aguas Callentes, San

vano, Buenos Ayres, No Janeiro, Valparai-American cities, as i'm opportunities de-

W. H. Hunt, who was the organizer and J imp and mass ously, is the president of the all can Trust Company Bank, will be the president of the new terprises and has held many positions of terprises and trust. unv. will be first vice excetdent.

The Board of Directors will include: J. Sloat Fassett, Emira; C P. Carrier, Elmira; W. J. Hilands, Cheener, Julius C. Birge, St. Louis; P. H. Sercome, Mexico City; Ignacio de la Torre, Mexico; Frank R. Crocker, Chariton, Is., and H. M. Nelson, Baltimore, Md.

FUNERAL OF OLD CITY EMPLOYE

D. D. Miller Was With Sewer Department Thirty-Seven Years.

The funeral of David D. Miller, one of the city's oldest employes, who died of cancer on last Monday at the family residence No. 1628 Semple avenue, took place yesterday afternoon from St. Edward's Catholic Church, Chara and Maffit avenues. The service was conducted by the Rever-end Father Edward J. Wyone and the in-terment was in Calvary Conselery. Near relatives of Mr. Miller acted as palibearers. A delegation of city employes attended the services. Among them were William Wise,



DAVID MILLER. Who for many years was an employe of the Sexer Department.

Acting Sewer Commissioner; James G. Shaw, chief bookkeeper, and William T. Murphy, Superviser of Inspection.

Mr. Miller at the time of his death was 70 years old, and in length of service was one of the oldest men in the employ of the city. For the last thirty-five years he has worked for the Sewer Department, and of late years has been an inspector.

He was born in Ireland in 1832, and left there when a young man. He first went to Canada and afterwards came to St. Louis. In 1867 he entered the employ of the Sewer Department. During his service there were many different Mayors and Commissioners, but under each of thom Mr. Miller retained his position.

He was actively engaged in work until last winter, when Hi health overcame him. In the spring he recovered sufficiently to resume his work. Three weeks ago his dectors advised him to cease his labors.

He leaves a widow and six children, all of whem live in St. Louis.

SUCCUMBED TO HER INJURIES. Mrs. Monroe Marsh Fatally Hurt by Car-Other Accidents.

Mrs. Monroe Marsh, 50 years old, of No 2971A Finney avenue, died last night from injuries sustained in a street-car accident. Wednesday morning.

Mrs. March was struck by Page avenue car No. 411 in front of No. 400 Finney ave-James A. Barrett, a merchant of Bolivar,

James A, Barrett, a merchant of Bolivar, Tenn., a guest at the Lindell Hotel, in alighting from Pags avenue car No. 48 at Twelfth street and Washington avenue, fell. He sustained internal injuries and a sprain of the left wrist. Deciar Moor of the Rozier Hotel attended him.

John Weber, 65 years old, a farmer of Elmwood, St. Louis County, while driving to the city last night, was knocked from his buggy at Belt and Deimar avenues by Delmar avenue car No. 128, Doctor Bohm of No. 236 North Taylor avenue attended him and found him suffering from a fractured cellar bone and scalp wounds. Weber was taken to St. John's Hospital.

WILL REVIEW THE GRAND ARMY. President Accepts Invitation From

General Torrence, Washington, Sept. 4 .- President Rossevelt has accepted an invitation to review the has accepted an invitation to review the parade of veterons to occur during the latter being from Buffalo, N. Y. The cereforthcoming encampment of the G. A. R. Reller of St. Paul's Church.

on Wednesday, October 8. The letter of invitation was dated Minnenolls, August 22, was signed by General Torrance, the commanding officer of the G. President Roosevelt replied, through Sec-

retary Cortelyou, as follows: retary Cortelyon, as follows:

"Your favor has been received, and in reply the President requests me to say that he accepts with much pleasure your corollal invitation to review with you the annual parade of the Grand Army of the Republic, which is to take place in Washington, D. C., on October 8. With assorances that the compliment implied by this invitation is warmly appreciated."

BEEF INQUIRY POSTPONED. No Evidence Taken at St. Joseph, Mo., by Crow.

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 4.-Notwithstanding that Attorney General Crow was represented at the opening hour for the Beef Trust



Beauty and Vtility.

Diamonds are something more than ornaments. They are invest-

ments whose value never lowers. Buying Diamonds and other gems of us means absolute surety. You know precisely what you have bought, and that it's worth every cent you paid for it,

HESS & CULBERTSON,

CORNER SIXTH AND LOCUST.

DEATH OF A FORMER MAYOR.

Doctor Franklin Swap Dies at Boonville, Mo.

RESPONDENCE SPECIAL. floonville, Mo., Sept. 1.- Hector Franklin hais Potosi and Puchla. It has also agent Swap, former Mayor of Boonville, died less in New York and Chicago. The new litere to-day, after a protracted illness, ex-Swap, fermer Mayor of Beenville, died

there to-day, after a protracted illness, excompany will utilize the branches alterely
established, and it is planned to establish
branches at sixteen leading cities in Mexico.

Branches are to be bounted, also, in Havano, Buenes Ayres, No Janeiro, Valpuraso and other South American and Central
American cities, as the epportunities develop.

W. H. Hunt, who was the organizer and
The row York are protracted illness, extending over several months.

He was born in Albany, N. Y. in 1838,
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president of the Corporation Trust Com- PHILABELPHIA'S RICHEST WOMAN. Beath of Miss Harriet Renson Reveals Story of a Beautiful Life. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 4.-By the death

of Miss Harriet Reusen, who was 74 years old, is revealed the beautiful life of the est woman in Philadelphia, whose was to draw checks that the regulast act was to araw checks that the regular monthly allowances which she had been making to the neor should not be interrupted by her weath.

While the lifeless body of Miss Benson lay in the heamital country home, "Norwood," Chestaut Hill, where she spent her sammers, the secretary who served her in life was busy arranging and mailing these last bequeus arranged by her.

Siles Benson was the daughter of Alexander Herson and Sarah North Benson. Her grandfather, Colonel North, was a member of General Washington's staff. From her father the inherited her fortune, estimated conservatively at more than \$1,000.00.

Despite the fact that she was a descendant of a revolutionary other, she never allied herself with the societies of the daughters of the men who fought in the early war. From her girlhood she lived a quiet and retired life, caring little for society. During the last twenty-five years she has devoted her entire time to benevolent work, maintaining the turnest secrety as

as devoted her entire time to benevolent vork, maintaining the ulmost secrecy as a her gifts to charity. MRS. JOHN LEWIS.

REPUBLIC SPINIAL REPUBLIC SPINIAL.

Salem, Ill., Sept. 4—Mrs. John Lewis, aged 81 years, a pieneer resident of Hickory Hill. this country, died at her home last night of old age. She was the grandmother of Assessor Willis Donoho of this city, and was also a relative of Sheriff M. B. Wells,

COLONEL FREDERICK MARTIN. New York, Sept. 4.—Colonel Frederick Martin, who served under General Butler in the Civil War, and was military Mayor of Richmond after its surrender, is dead at his home in Cranford, N. J. J. E. GOODENOW.

Des Moines, In., Sept. 4.—J. E. Goodenow, aged 29 years, succumbed to a stroke of apoplexy at Maquokern yesterday. He served in the first and second State Lexislatures and was sponsor for Osceola and Consent, country of the control of the control of the country of the control of the country of the country

FRANK MORSE. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Centralia, III. Sept. 4.—Frank Morse, aged 42 years, died this morning. He was formerly an Illinois Central engineer and received injuries in a wreck several years ago that caused insmity. Although he partially recovered from the effects to his mind, he never recovered his health.

JOHN H. WHITETREE. SEPUBLIC SPECIAL

Vinita, I. T. Sept. 4.—John H. Whitetree died at his home near Grove, I. T. inst night. He was one of the most prominent members of the Seneca tribe of Indians and was a member of their legislative council. ELISHA FARMER. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Jerseyville, H., Sept. 4.—The funeral of Elisha Farmer took place to-day from his home, northeast of Jerseyville, to the Kel-lar Cemetery, Mr. Farmer was Si years eld and one of the ploneer settlers of Jersey County. DOCTOR HERMAN L. WILES.

Mansfield, O., Sept. t.-Decter Herman L. Wiles, a prominent clergyman and paster of the First Lutheran Church in this city and for many years trustee of Wittenburg College of Springfield, O., died here to-day

of heart fall MRS. CLORINDA THOMSON. REPUBLIC SPECIAL REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carthage, Ill., Sept. 4.—Mrs. Clorinda
Thomson, at one time handlady of the famous old pioneer tavern, the "Half-way
House," near Elyasten, die here to-day.
She was 51 years old and had fived in this
Courty sixty-ave years.

THREW BROTHERS OUT WINDOW

Exciting Incident Preceded Kentucky Church Wedding.

RESTRUCTION.

Danville, Ky., Sept. 4—After throwing the two brothers of the bride out of the church window. Mr. Richard League returned to the altar and married Miss Lily Pelley.

The ireident took place last night at Bethel Church, in Mercer County. A protracted meeting was going on and good crowds were in attendance. The couple made up their minds to marry, but when the preacher, the Reverend f. C. Gifflam, announced for the first time that marriage was to take place and that he would perform the ceremony before the congregation was dismissed, commotion was caused and considerable excitement followed.

Two brothers of the prospective bride objected to the marriage, and made an attack upon the groom. League, who is a sialwart man put both of them out of an adjacent window. Before they came back the ceremony had been performed.

PREACHER TAKES A WIFE. Miss Schlundt Married.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Evansville, Ind., Sept. 4.—This evening at he home of the bride's patents was sol-mnized the wedding of Miss Anna Schlundt

RICE-BLACKWELL,

REPUBLIC SPITIAL Clarksville, Mo., Sept. 4.—Miss Susia E. Blackwell of this city and Mr. James Ries of Jacksonville, Hi were married last night at the First Christian Church by the Reverend J. P. Myers. A reception was tendered the friends of the couple at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blackwell. They left on a welding rour and will be at home at Jacksonville after September 15.

ROBINSON-MOREY. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Konsks, Sacs Blesses.

to-day at the home of A. M. Morey, su-perintendent of telegraph of the St. Joseph and Grand Island Railroad, an uncle of the

FUNKE-FUNKE.

Thermometers, Barometers.

St. Charles, Mo., Sept. 4.—Miss Julia Funke and Mr. John Funke, both of Quincy, ill., were married here yesterday afternoon by Justice Fred Knoop. REINACHER-NUGERER.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. St. Charler, Mo., Sept. 4.—Miss Minna Nu-terer and Mr. Fred Reinacher, both of Highland, Ill., were married here this morn-ing at II o'clock by Justice Fred Knoop. DANIELS-GREENWOOD.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Virginia, Ill., Sept. 4.—Mr. George Daniels and Miss Mary Greenwood, both of Sylvan, were married here to-day. MeDANIELS-WEBSTER.

Virginia, ill., Sept. 4.—Mr. John McDaniels of Jules and Miss Laura Webster of Area-ville were married at the Methodist par-sonage to-day. STEPHENS-McKER.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Metropolis, Ill., Sopt, 4.—Mr. Walter Stephens of Willard, Ill., and Miss Myrtle McKee of this city were married here at the home of the bride's mother last evening. The bride was popular in Metropolis society and is quite talented as a musician, Mr. and Mrs. Stephens will spend the fall and winter in Lebanon, Tenn., where he is studying for the ninistry.

BRADLEY—GREENLEE.

Tukes, I. T., Sept. 4.—Doctor J. D. Brad-lay and Mrs. Belie Greenlee were married in this city this evening.

JONES-VAUGHN.

BRADLEY-GREENLEE. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Cairo, Ill., Sept. 4-Mr. John B. Jones and Miles Lora Vaughn of Columbus, Ky., were married here to-day.

Compulsory Plan Would Make Unions Useless. London, Sept. 4.-At to-day's session of

hitration resolution introduced by the Dock. Wharf and Riverside Union. Many of the delegates opposed the resolution on the ground that under a system of arbitrations courts, the trades unlone would not only lose many of the advantages they had wrung from the employers. but would die of inanition, since the need

by 961,000 to 302,000 represented votes. POSSIBLE CLEW TO SKELETON.

Friends Think Clothes Were Those of Charles Simon.

man whose skeleton was found in a corn, field near Doddridge street and Conduit avenue. He declared that they were the same as those of Charles Simon, a tobacco stripper, who lived with him.

Doctor Hochdoerfer, the Coroner's postmortem physician, after an examination of the remains, declared that it was impossible to tell what had caused death. The better and glass found in the coat pockets were examined, but what their contents had been he was unable to state. The remains were buried in potter's field yesterlay afternoon. he was unable to state. The remains were buried in potter's field yesterday afternoon,

John F. Baerveldt Claims He

John F. Baerveldt entered suit in the Ciruit Court yesterday against L. D. Cabanne

for \$220.50

Baerveldt states that on February 1 last be paid to the Recorder of Deeds of St. Louis County for Mr. Cabanne \$4.50. On the same day, he avers, he paid a claim for Mr. Cabanne of \$55 and on June 22, 1901, he loaned him \$100. for which Mr. Cabanne gave him a due bill. He also alleges that a note for \$150. executed by Mr. Cabanne to A. Rabenneck December 22, 1900, was assigned to him.

THREE HUNDRED MINERS STRIKE. Cannot Reach an Agreement at Knoxville, Tenn.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 4 .- The Sentinel today says: "Three hundred miners employed by the Coal Creek Coal Company have quit work on account of a fallure to reach an work on account of a failure to reach an agreement on the scale of wages for the year beginning September I. The Coal Creek Coal Company does not recognize the United Mine Workers of America, and the agreement recently reached between the mine workers committee and some of the coal operators of Jellico and Coal Creek districts as to the scale of wages is not respected by this company.

Identified as Train Robber.

Indiana Republican Candidates. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Evansville, Ind., Sept. 4.—G. W. Whiting was nominated to-day for Representative by the Republicans of Poscy County at Poscyville, J. W. Brady was named for Judge of Poscy and Gibson counties.

Pabst beer is always pure

Brewed in a plant as clean as the cleanest home kitchen-always open to your inspection-58,971 visitors last year.

TRADES UNION CONGRESS OPPOSES ARBITRATION. Delegates at London Gathering Say the Trades Union Congress there was a very heated discussion of a compulsory ar-

for their survival would no long The resolution, eventually, was rejected

Charles T. Rettler of No. 1708 South Secand street called at the morgue last night and was shown the clothes worn by the man whose skeleton was found in a corn

SUIT AGAINST L. D. CABANNE.

Owes Him \$289.50. OF \$250.50

this company.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 4.—Lee Smith, the alleged train robber who is charged with killing the Chief of the Gendaremia near Batopilas, Mexico, while attempting the escape from the rurales, has been brought to Chibahua and identified as one of a gang that terrorized Arizona for several months. He is charged with murder in two Mexican states.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
St. Joseph, Mc., Sept. 4.—Miss Goldie
St. Joseph, Mc., Sept. 4.—Miss Goldie
Cann, filed in probate yesterday, sets forth
a personal estate of 39.65.15, of which 15,125
Canon City, Celo., were married at noon is invested in race horses.

